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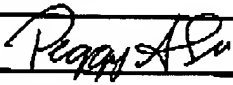
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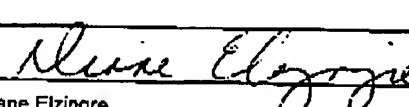
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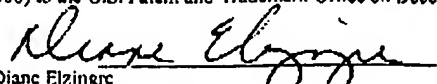
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**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

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In response to the Office Action of December 2, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.